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#### OF THE FEDERAL CON STITUTION.

AN INTERESTING DOCUMENT

collar prize essay written by Prof. T.

Baker, while at Columbian University, Washington, D.C., June 1902.

CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.

The old United States bank went out of existence, and it seemed that its extinguishment was a quietus to the whole system of national banks. State banks succeeded, wild-cat methods prevailed, no uniformity—nothing stable or certain,—currency had one value at one place and another value sleewhere; it was good today and worthless tomorrow; the war came. The whole system was changed. In 1853 the national system was revived to the system of the certain system was revived to the system of the certain bank of the certain bank of the certain prescribed conditions. The followers of 'Old Hickory' protested, but protested in vain.

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Established first in the cittes, banks spread rapidly to the villages and towns
of the country, and as the junction of in number they grew in public favor until now no man can be found who is not pleased to own the stock or fligge the bills which they issue.

Our banking system has been an ev

But is it true, as stated by Presiden ackson, that the decisions of the Su-reme Court have only such influence is the force of their reasoning may de

Constitution reads as follows:

"The judicial power shall extend to all cases in law and equity arising under the Constitution, the laws of the United States, and treaties made, or which shall be made, under their authority; to all cases of admiratly or maritime jurisdiction; to controversies to which can be considered to the controversies between a State and citizens of the controversies between two or more States; between a State and citizens of the same State, claiming lands under grantes of different States; the tween citizens of the same State, claiming lands under grantes of different States; and between a State or the citizens when state or the citizens thereof and forcign States, citizens or subjects."

The indical power, by the first sec-

The judicial power, by the first sec-tion, is vested in "one Supreme Court, and in such inferior Courts as the Cougress may from time to time ordain and establish," and in article 6;

It follows, necessarily, that laws i of the laws of Congress? The Supreme Court has been established for this

Mr. Jefferson and others of his day were apprehensive that unque power was conferred upon the federal Judiciary, and that by gradual encroachment is would undermine and destroy the rights of the people and the States; but these fears have, in the practice workings of the government, proven entirely unfounded. So far in our history the supreme Court has been a force of conservatism, the surest and best protection of liberty and law. Bioditug seither the purse nor the sword, having no power to initiate measures, acting only upon questions at hey are presented by causes brought before it by others, trained in the study of the have and in respect for it, removed by the tenure of office from the excitement and passion of party politics, it is fortunately situated and qualified for the calm and impartia-

Don't try to drawn your sorro

ties which are imposed upon it, and it has uniformly met its great responsi-bilities in such manner as to win the confidence of all classes of the people. As DeTocqueville said of the Supreme

great prophets in them.

It's a wise clerk who la proprietor's fool jokes.

The head of the weather

"A more imposing judicial power was never constituted by any people \* \* \* it is placed at the head of all known tribunals, both by the nature of its rights and the class of justicable parties which it controls."

such as thousawas unknown to the Confederation. It was a creation of the profound wisdom of the authors of the Constitution, and without it, as we can see now, our federal system would have been as a rope of sand.

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Questions of great import have been
brought before it and decided by it;
questions involving the powers of the
general government, and the reserved
rights of the States; questions between individuals and States, and between individuals and States, and between individuals, but who at this day and
time shares in the fears expressed by
Mr. Jefferson who he said, in a letter
to Mr. Thomas Ritchie in 1820.

"But its son from this branch of
"But its not from this branch of

"But it is not from this branch of government (Congress) we have most tofear. Taxes and short elections, will keep them right. The Judiciary of the United States is the subtle corps of sappers and miners constantly work-ing underground to undermine the foundations of our Confederated fab-

is a solceism, at least in a republican government."

Wise as Mr. Jefferson was,—and he had but few equals in the extent of his wisdom,—his fears in regard to this tribunal were not well founded, and especially as to the ruling of the great Judge, Chief Justice Marshall.

It cannot be said in truth that our Supreme Court is independent of the will of the nation, or that it has ever attempted to act in disregard of that will. It has taken the supreme law as its guide, and the test by which the acts of all the departments of government are to be tried—the own jurisdiction as well—and wisely, feariesily, and patriotically it has met its great its proposibilities. As said by Judge to Dillon in one of the Yale lectures.

'If the Supreme Court, during the

Dillos in one of the Yale lectures:
"It the Supreme Court, during the
period of active national development
overed by the long official career of
Chief Justice Marshall, had put a narrow and inclusite construction upon
the fredral Constitution, so that it
could not have expanded with the
growth and answered the necessities
of a great people, it would have bee
calamitious to an extent so words can
portray and on imagination can conceive. His views left, it possible for
the national growth to take place in
accordance with the national process
of evolution."

Mention has already been made, in Mention has already been made, in a general way, of some of the leading questions which agitated the public mind during the early history of the government and upon which the Court was called to decide, and also of the principle of construction by which they were guided.

they were guided.
It cannot be claimed that the rules of construction by which they were settled are arbitrary or unreasonable. They are the rules which govern in the interpretation of other instruments and are founded on reason, and are very clearly stated by Chief Justlee Marshall in a few words in the case of Ogden vs Saunders,—12 Wheaton,—;

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS

It is 1 If a baby could say what it

bundle home from a dry goods oes home from his club loaded.

goes home from his civil loaded.
probably he wont feature about the
wisdom that age brings us is the short
time we have to live to use it.
After eating coinous a girl should sit
down and read a ghost story that is
calculated to take her breath away.
The endurance of the annature corteartist would bring him fame and
fortune if directed in some other
channel.

people mourn your death all you have to do is to join an assessment insurance association.—Chicago News.

A SRORY WITH A MORAL.

A SROKY WITH A MORAL.

Once upon a time a donkey fell into a deep hole, according to Cassell's Saturday Journal and, after nearly starving, caught sight of a passing fox and implored the stranger to help him out.

satving, caught signt of a passing and implored the stranger to help him out,

"I am too small to aid you," said the fox, "but I will give you some advice. Only a few rooks away there is a big strong clephant. Call to him and he will get you out in a jifto."

After the fox had gone the donkey reasoned: "I aw very weak from want of nourishment. Every move I make is just so much additional loss of strength. If I raise my voice to call the elephant, I shall be weaker yet. No, I will not waste my substance that way. It is the duty of the elephant to come without calling."

So the donkey settled himself back and eventually starved to death.
Long afterward the fox on passing

Long afterward the fox on passin

Kissing goes by

MORNING PHILOSOPHER

No man need co

A naval commander who can mover his ship without grounding to get a medal or an Admiralship.

GENERAL NEWS.

John Plannerie, of Cleveland, Ohio. shot and wounded Mary Novak and killed himself because she would not narry him.

Nearly 1,000 persons were killed by

megrate to the United States. They will settle in New Mexico and Texas. Hundreds of cattle have been killed by the fluid used by the Governmen to kill the water hyacinths in St. John't river, Florida.

e exchanged over the new Pscific able between the United States and

John W. Williams, of St. Joseph Mo., shot and fatally wounded his wife and killed himself. He was the father of nine children and was jeatous.

John Beit, a lunatic, cut Jaspe Clegg to death with a razor at La Peer, Mich., badly wounded his mother and sister and when cornered by the Sheriff, killed himself with a revolver.

The village of Collinwood, Ohio, will be rewarded for voling whiskey our. The Lake Shore railroad will spend \$1,000.000 in new shops additional to extensive buildings already erected there. Had the village voted for the sale of liquor the railroad officials say that this extra sum of money would have been withheld.

The total grain crop of Manitoba for 1002, according to official government estimates, amounts to 100,055,343 bushels. Of this total crop, wheat constitutes more three one half. The wheat crop is estimated at \$2077,067

wheat crop is estimated at 52,077,967 pushels. This is more than 3,000,000

HE WAS A THOUGHTFUL BOY.

"Yep, that's the kind we pla ore than half a crop.

to bave all the sport be figured on be said, rather abruptly: "There ain't much difference tween you and a fool, is thore?" "Nope," replied the boy, "not but a rail fence,!" Then a small voice whispered to man that everyone is not a sucker tooks that way.—Er.

TOO SMALL

The old lady looked after the insignificant figure. She had given the

ng ustion for speaker of the next

SONERSET.

Your writer witnessed a sight
yest-rday that one rarely gets to
see in this country. It was that
of tripletts They were born early Saturday merning to the wife
of Stephen Hail, this city. There
are two boys and one girl. The
mother is doing fairly well, and
the little ones seem healthy; and
I think with proper attention bies, a boy and a girl, making five children born to her in less than three years, all of whom are living. Mr. and Mrs. Hail have sev en children and are yet young people. People are calling hourly to see the new arrivals.

Mr. Loran O. Phelps and wife were visiting the family of C. L Winfrey last week,

A young Mr. Tarter was killed Saturday night by falling from a bridge across Pitman creek near this city. He was a brother to the wife of J. Sherman Cooper, this city.

Mrs. Mcllie Humble is visiting friends at Georgetown.

Miss Mary Hays was in tow Saturday.

Old Santa Claus has visited all the stores and left a grand display of Christmas goods.

A show here all this week.

COURAGEOUS YOUNG WOMAN, COURAGEOUS FOUNG WOMAIN.
With more than a dozen astonished but admiring passengers looking on, a society woman, of Omaha, arose in a street car, removed her silken petitooat, and wrapped it about the shivering form of a child two years of age.
The woman was Mrs. Mary Cartan, formerly Miss Sade Nash, and a daughter of millionaire Nash, the Secretary and Trassurer of the smelter combine.

Mrs. Cartan boarded an in.

Nash, the Secretary and Archive of the smelter combine,

Mrs. Cartan boarded an inbound ear at Thirty-eighth and
Cuming streets. The car was
without a fire, in spite of the zero

weather.

In one corner of the car sat a man, poorly clad and who held on his knee a baby.

The little child's feet and legs

were entirely bare and blue from the cold. The father had a beat en look as though the world had used him roughly. An eye-witness states regarding what followed:

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"It was just beginning to dawn upon nix that I might do something besides stare, when a rusting attracted my gaze to Mrs. Cartan's corner. She had her hands behind her under her closk and the next thing I knew she was standing orece in that car and permitting to slip from her heavy, restling petitionst,

"As it fell she stooped and caught it in her hands, holding to the straps she stepped out of it and walking down the size to the man and balty. Stooping over, sunggled the garment about the infant's legs, smilling in the child's face and remarking to the father:

'I'm afraid the baby has scarcely snough on her for this weather."

The Philadelphia North Amer-

enough on her for this weather."

The Philadelphia North American has rendered a service to decent journalism by instituting a prosecution against a fake correspondent. Though no gaeat degree of success has yet crowned its efforts, its course may well serve as a warning to a class of offendered or the service of the ser

Fight Will be Bitter.

Those who will persist in cleasing their cars against the continual recommendations Of Pr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. B. Beall, of Beall, Miss, has to say: "Last fail my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovers efters everything seek and fulled.

Judge Guffy says he will be a applicate for the Legislature.

#### SAW REAL LIVE SNAKES. The Man Who Thought He Had Delirit But Hadn't.

But Bate\*
"On at least one occasion I had snakes in my boots," said the man with the red nose to a New Ordens Times-Democrat reporter, "and it was no wild, delirous fancy, either. The nakes were genuine. They are all the state of the state

A MISER'S EXPERIENCE.

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An Attempt at Economy That Turned Out Semewhat Disastrously. There is much amusement in Dresden parliamentary circles, easy the London Express, over a little joke which was played on one of the oldest members. The gentleman in question, although somewhat miserly, is very popular. Recently he injured his finger, and, not caring to consult his own doctor, sought the advice of a brother member, and. D., who told him what to do. On the following day, however, the old gentleman received a bill for ten shillings from the doctor for medical attendance. In his perplexity he confided in another colleague, a lawyer this time, who pointed out his liability and advised him to pay the bill.

The aged member's astonishment

billy, and advised him to pay the bill. The aged member's astonishment can best be imagined when he received later the lawyer's claim for ten shillings for "advice given." He indignantly complained to a thrive the complete of this unbrotherly treatment, but this third geatleman, entering into the joke, brought the matter before the committee which decides personal differences of the members. Here the case turned against the accuser, and he was impeached for "refusing to acknowledge justified claims," and gravely sentenced to—buy a case of champagne. The expensive finger is now guite well.

A Great Hemp Country.

A Great Hemp Country.

Yucatan is one of the great hemp, producing countries of the world. The product is not so fine as that exported from Manila, but it is stronger and in greater general use. All that is raised is marketed in New Yerk.

The "drys won at Barboury... en the contest for open saloons.

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HAS. S. HARRIS, · · · Edite Democratic newspaper: devoted to the ests of the city of Columbia and the peo-adeir and adjacent counties

WED, DECEMBER 31.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For State Treasure

We are authorized to announce H. H. HEN NINGER, Wayne county, a candidate for the ffice of State Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

NEW YEAR'S GREETING.

lowing our own inclinations, led by an honest desire to see condi-This being our last issue of th od year just closing, and only a tions turn for the better, we can hours of it remain until the tions turn for the bester, we can not change our policy, but we can renew our promise made at the beginning of each year, that we will do our best in the sphere in which we work. The incoming year is laden with good for us all. new one is urshed in, we feel that it is the proper time to bid adieu to the present and extend our greeting to the future. With one hand, as it were, grasping the old, the other extended to the new, we Let us work together without dis-cord and make it the best of all feel as if we were introducing the past to the future, the good to the years for this section of the country. In renewing our pledge we better, the dead to the living. The deeds of 1902 have nearly all been recorded, its last day only also renew our appeal for a con-tinuance of patronage, promising to give full value to all our pat-

remains to round up its full career and whether it has been a year well spent individually is a quest ion that each must answer for himself. As we see the last day gliding by and the few short hours steadily but surely passing, we feel that 1902 is now being lower. ed into the golden vault of the twentieth century, yet, to live in the memory of millions who have participated in its blessings, indi-vidually and collectively.

We realize that it has been a re markable period of time, that it goes on record as a prosperou one in which much good has been accomplished, one in which the ambitions and energie of the people have been thorough ly aroused. Throughout this en tire country it was a period in which individuals have been stimulated to put forth their best efforts, to reach out and become a factor in progress.

A-mas.

"No place like home" is much in evidence these times as a goodly number of those, who have been absent, are back home to spend the holidays.

Hurrah for Lindsey-Wilson training school a thing of certainty to be located at Columbia and for an interurban railroad yet to be coming. As a nation the same bouyant feeling has been master, and thus we have moved as never before.

Here, on the sunny side of Old Kentucky, here in Adair county, in Columbia, we have all realized that the year now ending has been laden with good for us. Our peo-ple are aroused to the importance of better public conditions which have been manifested in building and repairing public roads, the erecting of a strong and substantial iron bridge over Russell's creek, the free will offering of nearly \$9,000 for a school of high Misses Susan and Lena Grissom and Bro A L. Mell, spent the day pleas-antly with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Grissom Friday, grade and the substantial foundstion work of an electric railway from this town to Campbellsville. We enter the New Year with the incomplete structures and enter-A. W. Paxton moved to the home stead of J. F.. Robertson, www week ago, s. December, 1902, turns to January, 1903, designs Mr. K. Turk, of Cumberland county was at true besside of his brother, W. C. Turk, last week. that must be carried to comple-tion. Our confidence in the people of this section, our knowledge of their ability courinose us that the New Year will be a more prose one than that 1902. The good work has only begun and a good public sentiment is growing stronger.

A canvass of the business i oterests of this town reveals the factor that our business people have all that our business people have all enjoyed prosperity in their respective lines. Its further whove that we all er set the incoming year with an selection of the control of

thoroughly alive to the import-ance of united action for public good.

The News has increased its cir

culation, its advertising patronage and the output of its job-work nearly doubled. It has been our

most prosperous year, and to all who have contributed to its wel-

fare, directly or indirectly, we

have no apology to offer to those who may be inclined to criticise our efforts or to lightly esteem whatwe have sought to accomplish.

We briefly state it this way: We

cumstances, have made an honest, faithful effort to give our readers an interesting local paper, have sought, labored and sacrificed to

dvance the general good.

In as much as we have been fcl-

To 1908, we are ready for handshake and bid it welcome.

The next annual meeting of the

The next annual meeting of the County Attorney's Association of Kentucky will be held at Dawson Springs in July next. The President has appointed Mr. Jas. Garnett, Jr., of this place, a member of the committee to arrange a program.

BLISS.

Yuletide came and went very quiet-ly at this ville.

Rev. A. L. Mell, a jolly pleasant di-vine of Gradyville, was in our midst

Mrs. Carrie Poivell. who is matror for the college at Lebanon, Tenn., ar-rived home Christmas. She returned Tuesday.

Egg trade has been very brisk at 20 cents; poultry, 7, Such has been a handsome revenue, that was brought into our community.

Trade has been exceptionally gooduring Christmas.

Mrs, Elmonia Sa ndidge is slowly re-gaining her health from the effect of a scratch of a hen's spur, received six weeks ago.

Mr, Lee Mc/inteer, of Canmer, was at the bedside, of his 5'ster, Mrs, San-didge, lately.

COLUMBIA MARKET!

REPORTED BY SAM LEWIS.

ender our sincere thanks.

While demented, Mrs. August Fehler, of Louisville, jumped into the river and was drowned.

KENTUCKY NEWS

Mrs. Tom South, of Paducah, gave her babe landanum to ease pain, and it died from the effects of the drug.

Geo. O. Herndon died at the Confederate Home at Pewee Val. ley. This is the third death since the Home opened.

Thomas Prewitt, a well-know business man of Boyle county, dropped dead at Perryville while attending to business.

Harry Catlett, a young farmer of Anderson county, committee of Anderson county, committed suicide. He first took a dose of Paris green and then cut his throat,

The Sun Life Insurance Compa ny of Louisville, has gone out o existence, and transferred its busi-ness to the Metropolitan, of New York. It was claimed that the taxes eat up the profits

William Harrel shot and seriously wounded W. C. Rush, near Henderson, firing two charges of squirrel shot into him at close range. He objected to Rush's attention to his daughter.

Mrs. Ida Thutgh, of Petersburg, fell and injured herself several days ago. On being told that her injuries would prove fatal, she requested that her daughter, Miss Doty and Mr., Warren Burns be married in her pressuce. A license and minuster were secured, and the ceremony was performed at her bedeide.

Pennsylvania capitalists have purchased 25,000 acres of timber and coal lands in Rockoastle coun-ty, and Manchester branch of the Louisville and Nashville to Pound Fork, in Jackson county, a dist-ance of 12 miles, to haul the prodnet.

A young man, whose identity has not been ascertained, has been ar-A young man, whose identity has not been as contained, has been arrested at Miama, Fla., for getting money by false pretenses and impersonating Gov. Beckham. He succeeded in making prominent people at Miami believe that he was the Governor of Kentucky. Bogus telegrams, one of them commuting the death sentence of a ficitious Kentucky murderer, and another purporting to be from program.

It is said that interesting reading is expected by the House members when the report is received from the Secretary of State on the expenditures of the Panama Canal Commission. The report was called for by Mr. Hepburn. notations Kentucky murderer, and another purporting to be from President Roosevelt, were used to heighten the deception. The im-postor is said to have borrowed considerable money.

Arthur Ball, a five year old sor of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Ball, near Danville, is gradually starving to death. Two weeks ago he swallow-ed a pewder toy dog.

There is said to be about forty cases of small-pox at Junctic City, Ky. It is in a mild form.

Rev. F. F. Fite, a Methodist preacher, is to be tried at Vance-burg for mule stealing. He says he can establish an alibi.

Judge T. R. McBeath is tipped as the winner in the race for Re porter of the Court of Appeals.

Edward McMurtry, an employe of the Lexington Asylum, died un-der suspicious circumstances in a hotel bar.

Judge B. L. D. Guffy says he will be a candidate for the Legis

er, was

A special from Danville says:

San-Some-Some years ago John Choate and
family of ten children, who Irved
near here, located in Galveston,
weeks Tex. Before he had been there
many months his wife and eight
of the children were drowned in
the Galveston flood. At the same
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" Assafoetida, 5 grain	27	
" Blaud's Iron Tonic	22	
" Compound Cathartic, Vegetable	15	
" Compound Cathartic, U. S. P.	15	
100 Calomel Tablets, 1-10, ±, ±, ± grain	7	
100 Calomel Tablets, 1 grain	12	
100 Morphine Tablets, † grain	22	
100 Strychnine Tablets, 1-60, 1-30 grain.	7	
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#### PERSONAL MENTION.

Eld. Lawrence Williams returned Carrollton last Friday.

Miss Delle Mitchell spent seve days of last week in Columbia.

Dr. Loren Williams, Glasgow, is vis-iting his parents at Montpelier. Rev. S. A. McKay, of Sulphur Spring, y., spent last week in Columbia.

Dr. R. A. Jones, Stanford, visite his parents at Montpelier last week. Mr. Curt Bell, a polite clerk of Russell & Murrell, is visiting at Red Lick.

Mr. M. H. Marcum has so far recovered as to be able to look after his

Mr. J, D. Walker and family and Miss Sallie Diddle spent last week at Gradyville.

Mr. E. R. Feese and Mr and wife. Pellyton, were last Friday and Sunday.

s Jack Sanders, O. L. Kem and E. L. Gowdy, Campbell in Columbia Monday night

Mr. D. J. Schooling is yet confined to his room, but it is believed that he is improving. He has a stomach trouble.

Misses Jennie and Fanne Garnett will return to their positions this week, the former going to Jellico, the latter to Glasgow.

Mr. Gus Albright, of Louisville, who spent several days very pleasantly with friends in Columbia, returned home last Saturday.

Fannie Jones, Columbia, will return to Richmond in a few days.

Mr. Geo. R. Miller, of this place, will leave Louisville next Thursday for a three months trip. He will not again reach Columbia before May or June. His territory now covers several States.

Drs. C. M. Murrell, Albin Jones, T.
L. Higgenbotham and J. N. Murrell,
Jr., will return to Louisville in a few
days. The first named gentieman will
graduate from the Louisville School of
Medicine this winter.

Miss Estelle Willis, a popular tea er and very estimable young lady of Joppa, this county, will leave for Greensburg the first of the year where she will assist her brother, who is the principal of the Academy at that place.

Miss Lillie Eubank and Mrs. Bert Worford visited Mrs. L. B, Hurt at Lebanon last week. They report but little change in the condition of Mrs. Hnrt, who has been in a critical con-dition for the past month.

Mrs. Carrie Powell, who is teaching music in Lebanon, Tenn., College, came home for the holidays. Upon her return she will be accompanied by Misses Lena Grissom, Laura Johnston and Irene Dohoney, all of whom will enter the college.

Mr. Titus Mercer enjoyed Christmas day with his friends in this place. There has been some talk of him quit-ting business at Campkova and open-ing a store at Gradyville, but he in-formed the News that he would likely remain at his present location.

#### LOCAL JOTTINGS.

After to-day write it 1903.

Mr. W. E. Bradshaw sold two mules to Dock Drye, of Lincoln county, for \$150.

You can save money on overcost clothing, all kinds, blankets and co forts, by calling on W. L. Walker.

Young man, if you swear off stick to your oath. Sticktoitiveness is what makes a man.

FOR SALE.—I have a fine short horn buil I will sell or exchange for good milch cow. W. L. Walker.

Born, to the wife of Rev. E. N. Metcalfe, December 26, 1902, a son;

Circuit court opens the third Mon-day in January. If a good grand jury has been drawn there will be "business to the house."

I have a lot of ren piece goods, dress goods, cashimers, a cheap. Come before they are sold. W. L. Walker.

Usually there are more or less accidents to report after the holidays, but up to this writing not a single casuality has occurred While the boys have had a great deal of amusement, they have been particular with fire arms.

I am making surprising reduc on my entire stock of Winter & Everything at a bargain. I am & to clean up. W. L. Walk

All the Cumberland Presbyterian in town are requested to meet at Capt W. W. Bradshaw's residence, 7 p. m next Friday night.

WANTED —Saleslady, to sell "Sweet Milk Baking Powder" with Premium to housekeepers.

J. G. HILLER, 174-4th st., Louisville, Ky.

Miss Sailie Wolford, who was the only living sister of the late Col. Frank Wolford, of this place, died at Liberty. Casey county. last week. She was quite an old lady:

Miss Sue Baker, one of Columbia's popular young ladies, entertained a number of young friends at dinner last Saturday. It was a merry assembly, but the interesting feature was the bountiful dinner which was very much

The Misses Eubank entertained Rev. S. A. McKay, Miss Gertrude Gradyand Mr. W. T. Price Friday at dinner. Before the meal hour and after delightful music was rendered in the pariors. The dinner was very much enjoyed by the invited guests.

We have been informed that Mr. J.
A. Dulworth sold his Green river farm,
last week, to his brother, Mr. William
Dulworth, and that he purchased the
Christie Farm, on Caney Fork. Green
county. We understand that the consideration in the last named transaction was 810 000.

There was less drunkenness in the town of Columbia Christmas day than for several years in the past. It is said that not a haif dozen persons were seen upon the streets under the influence of liquor. We have a Young People's Christian Association in town and also a Police Court.

Mrs C. C. Flowers and her children, this city, and a daughter of Mr. W. R. Myers, were poisoned Sunday while at dinner. Oyster soup was served, but it had been made in a brass kettle and it is supposed that the poison was thus conveyed. All the patients are

Mr. T. C. Davidson, the present City Judge, is doing the right thing and is indorsed by all good citizens. Last week he fined a number of parties for violating the city ordinances; and he takes them all ailke. It can not be said that he causes the airrast of cour-try for all courses the course of the work of the course of the course of the work of the course of the course of the work of the course of the course of the work of the course of the course of the work of the course of the course of the course of the town.

town.

Mrs. J. H. Hindman spread a dinner as Saturday aft ermoon in honor of vited guests were Rev. S. A. McKay. Or Subburt Spring, Kr., and Miss Gertrude Grady, of this city. It was amagnificent dinner, six courses being served in a manner to make the occasion exceedingly delightful to the honorecomment of the day was happily spent in listening to charming music and in social converse.

Take the young people of Columbia as a whole, and a better behaved set cannot be found in any town in Kentucky. However, there are a few who could improve upon their conduct while attending religious services. It is very impolite to sit in church and kalk while a sermon is being delivered. You may not want to bear it, but there are others who do. Quit the bad habit and you speak a good word for the father and mother who reared you.

you.

Again we call attention to the fact that the second term of the M. & F. High School begins January the Schu next Monday. If you intend entering school come in and be here the first day. Take an even start and lead the procession. Every thing indicates the inveliest season that this school has don't quitble about a little expense in educating yourself. Knowledge can the discarder, I it shurghar proof. No pick-pocket can reach II, no shread manipulator can touch it. It is a

capital that abides forever.

Several months ago it will be remembered that Mr. Eugene Rice bought the farm on the old Springfeld road, five miles from Columbia, known as the "Betry stiller property" for \$6,000. The property of the proper

cient sum to pay for the farm.

Eid Z. T. Williams, who has been pastor of the Christian Church, this place, for the past six years, ended his work last Sunday night. He has been a faithful pastor, and under his preaching quite a large number have been added to the Church. At the close of ended to the Church. At the close of ed all he young converts with a hand-some Testament. He also announced that at, another time he would give each teacher of the Sunday-school a Testamene. During the year, 1002 Mr. Williams will preach for the following. Creelsonto and Nell. It is understood that Eid. W. K. Arbill will take charge of this congregation though no diffinite charge of the songregation though no diffinite transgements have been made.

COL. W. C. TURK IS DEAD.

Last Monday morning at 3 o'clock the end to the well-spent life of the subject of this writing came. Mr. Turk was born and reared in the subject of this writing came. Mr. Turk was born and reared in the subject of the well-spent in the subject of the

MRS, POLLY HURT DEAD.

MRS. POLLY HURT DEAD.

Last Wednesday afternoon, about the 4 o'dock hour, the subject of this notice ended her life work and her spirit went to God who gave it. She was one of the best known women in Adair county and was loved and respected by everybody, being especially kind to all those with whom she came cuty-seventh year, and looked the perfect picture of health until a few days before her demise. She was the widow of Mr. Young E. Hurt, who served Adair county as sheriff a number of the county as the served Adair county as sheriff a number of the county of the count

On Sunday moring December 14, 1902, The Death Angel knocked at the door of C. C. Jones, of Tiogs, Texas, and called for his darling babe which had only been spared to them eight with torn and bleeding hearts they say nothing more than Lord thy will and not ours be done. Bemember dear father and mother that while those strong earthly ties must be severed here, and the soil of Texas makes the mound in the Pitot Potat cemsterry, over the one gone, county, Kry, sleep two others, we know that Heaven is that many ites stronger. And while we know our loved ones gone can not come to us, we can go them; where the broken links will be reunited and there will be no more goodbye's.

THE NEW GBOCKEY STORE.

Thave opened up a tona new stock of family groceries, frutts and confections, in the building formerly occupied by the Columbia Farniture Company. My geodaare all new and fresh from the market, and won't be under sold. I solicit a share of the under sold. I solicit a share of the upges and lard. Come and see me, I am ready to Very Respectfully, MMS. J. C. WAININGS.

If you now, me as Morke or an

If you owe me a note or an account it is now due and must be settled. If you do not want a dun through the mail or a call on you to pay, please come and settle at once. I need the money and must collect from you if you owe me, I mean you.

W. L. WALKER.

W. L. WALKER.

NOTICE.

I have a madstone. Persons bitten
by dogs or snakes call on me. will
guarantee the stone.
C. B. KENETT,
Dunnville, Ky.

t-m 31.

This office is in receipt of an anonymous communication showing conceeping for our favorable monthor the control of the contro

Copperfield.

In the Adair county News of last weak there is an essay written by Tyler was a constant of the c

Lebanon Enterprise.

To the people of all our neighboring counties the News cetteds its best wishes for a prosperous New Year.
We are truly thankful for the patronage we have received from you, and it is our intention to make the News more interesting in the future than it has ever been in the past. Everything that is worth writing we will endeavor that is worth writing we will endeavor a news item of local interest send is not in the county of t

Mr. T. E. Green, who has been the circuit Court Clerk of Taylor county for a number of years, left Campbells-ville last week, in company with his wife for Louisville, having accepted a position in that city: It is our understanding that he will keep a set of books for the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company. He is a very efficient gentleman and will be a valuable acquisition to the clerks of lorce of that immense corporation.

It is dangerous and radically wrong for persons to undertake to violate a law simply because that law has not herefore been enforced. It matters not how small a measure seems if it is walking in the right direction. Who is it that condemns law? Ask yourself the question.

Mr. Porter A. Murrell, son of Mr. S.
H. Murrell, wno lives in the Clear
Spring neighborhood, was married to
Miss Hida Bell, daughter of Mr. John
Bell, on the 2th inst. The groom is
in the mercantile business and is a
prosperous young man. The bride is
a very estimable young lady. Peace
and happiness be with them.

Pensions have been granted the younger children of the late Milton Judd. They will draw two dollars per month until they reach the age of sixteen. Mrs. Judd made an application before her demise, and her estate will be paid eight dollars per month from the time she applied until her death.

The supper given by the Presbyterian church and Sunday-school, last Friday night, was largely attended. All the denominations in town were represented, and there was an abundance for all. In fact after the multitude was fed there was enough to have regaled many more.

The Christian Church and Sunday school will entertain their members at the college hall this (Tuesday) even-ing. It will be a supper, and it goes without saying that every thing will be elegantly prepared.

This office is the recipient of the handsomest ink stand in thirty States. It is a Christmas present from Mr. T. E. Paull. This gift from our esteem-ed friend is appreciated in the fullest measure.

Judge W. W., Jones has just completed a very large ice-house, and the in dications are that he is going to have an early opportunity to fill it. Mr. Wilson, of Pulaski county, who recently purchased a farm from Mr. Thos. Neat, expresses himself as being well pleased, with Adair county and its people.

Next Monday will be county court. If you come to town, and are indebted to this office, call and settle. We need all the money that is due us. A saw-mill will set on the farm of Mr, Geo. Reynolds in a short time. Pack speaks of immigrating in the near future, Miss Vina Royse, of Joppa, will te at the Dunber Kidol Missa next vi

Dr. J. H. Grady, Stewards.

Gradyville Lodge.
W. M. Wilmore, Worshipful Ma
J. G. Flowers, Saelor Warden.
W. S. Sbarp, Junior Warden.
H. C. Walker, Sceretary.
John Roach, Tressurer.
J. E. Yates, Senior Deacon.
A. T. Sherrill, Junior Deacon.
G. W. Dudley, Tyler.

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Glensfork Lodge.

Z. L. Samuels, Master.
H. K. Walkup, Senior Warden.
G. B. Abrell, Junior Warden.
H. K. Taylor, Secretary.
W. P. Phelps, Treasurer.
F. A. Strange, Senior Deacon.
C. A., Fletcher, Junior Deacon.
C. A., Walker, Tyler.

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F. W. Leach, Senior Warden.
A. D. Patteson, Junior Warden.
J. A. Morrison, Secretary.
G. F. Jones, Treasurer.
G. W. Helm, Senior Deacon.
W.S. Hart, Junior Deacon.
U.S. Marcum, Tyler.
Alonno Barger, Stewards.
W. E. Stewards.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. The following marriage licenses wer issued from the Adair County clerk' office during the month of December: Newton Norris to Miss Inis Coomer Chas. Hardwick to Miss Ida Bottom J. W. Todd to Miss Bettie L. Mont

gomery.

Ruel A. Stone to Miss Mary Pendle

on. Geo. E. Kemp to Miss Maud Beard E. C. Keltner to Miss Emma Beard F. A. Rosenbaum to Miss Altha M

Blair.

J. W. Thomas to Miss E. L. Co
Archey Wheeler to Miss Hat

CHRISTMAS DINNER

CALL AND SETTLE.

All persons indebted to me are requested to call and make payment the business of 1902 must be closed.

T. E. PAULL,

Mr. J. A. Beard and Miss Betti Williams, who live in the eastern por tion of this county, were marrie Christmas day. The ceremony wa pronounced at the bride's home.

OZARK BRIEFS.

Ury Morris has returned from Illi-nois, and declares that Kentneky is good enough for him. Mr. Jeff White is erecting a nice new residence.

Otha

The lodges named below elected the

Columbia Lodge, No 96 W. A. Coffey, Worshipful Mast Gordon Montgomery, Sculor

Miss Royse is one of the most populor teachers in the county and is a most estimable young indy.

Most of the farmers are through corn gathering. Some report a fairly good yield, while others report a bigs thortengale. However it is not likely that many of them will have to buy, and they will not have to go out of the community to buy.

Mr. Both. Cable of the Zion victorial of the Zion victori Gordon Montgomery, Schlor Wilen.
T. A. Murrell, Junior Warden.
W. D. Jones, Secretary.
R. F. Paull, Treasurer.
W. W. Bradshaw, Senior Deacon.
Geo. F. Walford, Junior Deacon.
L. C, Hurt, Tyler,

M. Scott, returned home last week.

Hogs are scarce and consequently in demand. Cholera, or some other dischanged control of the control of t

unusually fine.

Nimrods have been plentiful for the past week and, although birds and rabbits are plentiful, many of them returned as they came—with empty bags. It is strange but nevertheless true, that lots of people cannot see straight when Cinitisanas comes.

Rosal Gabbelli returned from a trip to Green river last week. He will teach a singing school at Dunnville some time soon.

Porter Murrell, of the firm of Mont-gomery & Murrell, will sell his interest to Mr. Montgomery and take up farm life in the near future.

There is considerable improvement being made in this vicinity. Mr. J. Clayton Bryant is having a cottage erected on his place. Mr. Ras McKinley has completed a new house and Mr. James Naylor is building a large harn.

Prof. John Henry Holladay will ada another room to his residence.

The new bridge across Russell creek has been worth many dollars to the people living on this side since its completion. Some of the subscribers to the bridge fund think they have been the bridge fund think they have been the bridge fund think they have been they subscribed already. On with the work for bridges and good roads. We need them all over Adair county so the people can, at any time, go where business calls. Every bridge that is built and every road that is graded and increases the value of property and invites capital which makes the business wheel hum. A little increase in taxation is not going to hurt any body, the bridge of the b

Archey Wheeler to Miss Hattle Listotts.

Walter Sapp to Miss Laura Tedder Uriah T. Bault t. Miss Haley Smith J. S. Smith to Miss Leona Robertson P. A. Murrell to Miss Hilda A. Bell Rev. E. W. Barnett to Miss Mary Elarnett. Some of our farmers have commenced cleaning their ground preparatory to starting a plow as soon as the weather will permit. Early plowing and early planting generally insures a good crop.

good crop.

Christmas passed off very quiesly in
this vicinity. Every body stayed at
home by the fire and, so the stayed at
home by the fire and, so the stayed at
home by the fire and, so the
that that Christmas should be celebrated with a bottle, or a jug and a
heránche, but the people of this vicinity do not observe the Holy day in that
way, hence there are no brawls and
broken heads to report.

We are not the threshold of an N, W. Cowan to Miss Nancy S. Red-man. S. A. Winfrey to Miss Martha Rig-CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alies were very agreeably surprised with a bountful and delicious of in n er, which was brought in by their children and the old homestead with father and mother was enough to make all hearts gid, though there were see missing cone, too far away to be present, but wishes. Mr. Alien is to his eighty second year and Mrs. Alien seventy-secon, and they have been married and culture as could be expected at that age, and it is quite interesting to hear and a culture as could be expected at that

We are now on the thresheld of an other year. Let every one of us strive during the New Year to do what is right in all things, that peace and good will may abide with us. Turn over a new leaf and paste it down.

new leaf and paste it down.

A Happy New Year to all the people of Adair county and a wish that health and prosperity may attend you every day of the New Year. May the subscribers of the News "cough up" and come on. May the man who sets "ads" never leave his case and may the job pressess never cease running.

J. M. S.

GRADYVIILE.

Christmas is here and we are having good time.

Miss Bettie Smith entertained quit a number of her friends last week. Rev. A. L. Meil-preached an interest-ing sermon Christmas day, at the M. E. Church.

Polk Mitchell and wife, of Edmonton, visited relatives here last week. Marvin Pickett, of Bakerton, visited is parents last week.

Prof. G. B. Yates will begin a school here January 1. He' is an up to date teacher and we are expecting a full school.

school.

Drs. L. C. Nell and S. A. Taylor,
our physicians, are connected by telephone. Any one wanting a doctor after dark, just press the button.

H. C. Walker and wife were at the
bedside of W. C. Turk last week.

We are glad to note that Mr. G. T.
Flowers is out mixing with his friends.
Misses Mary and Bease Cody, two
opoular young ladies of Columbia, were
guests of Mrs. Ells Robertions a few
days of last week.

Misses Caldwell, of Portland, Misses
Parl Hibdindin and Nullie Merier, of
property of the columbia of the columbia

Messrs. Geo, Flowers and Curt Bell, of Columbia, spent several days of last week in our city.

Messrs. Lawrence Rouseau and Jack Dickerson, two of the best insurance men of the State, were in our city one

Rev. A. L. Mell was at Bliss part of

R. D. Moss, of Evansville, Ind., is risiting relatives in this community. Miss Kate and John Lee Walker vis-ited relatives at Red Lick Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Yates. of Bradfordsville, formerly of this place, is quite sick, Unless there is a change he cannot live long.

Mrs. Fiorence Furgison and Hugh Mackey and wife, of Cumberland county, visited relatives here last week.

Rev. James Deboard was at Russell Springs last week holding a meeting.

Nell & Nell are in their new store and will keep a general stock of goods. Prof. G. B. Yates and J. W. Walker visited at Joppa last week

vanted at Jopps last week
On account of the cold weather, Rev.
Adkin, of Burksville, failed to fill his
appointment here Saturday.
Mr. Luther M. Wilmore has been
unable to go about on account of a
broken rib.

Married, on the 25th, Miss Matney to Mr. Rock, Rev. A. L. Mell officia-ted. They live near Keltner.

Married, on the 25th, at the resi-dence of Wm. Coomer, Miss Coomer, to John W. Moore Rev. J. W. Sexton

officiated.

The Christmas tree was a grand success. There were about 350 presents distributed among the people of this community. The sacred service was conducted by Revs. Mell, Sandidge and Deboard and the song service res dered by the young ladies of our city could not be surpassed. The exercises by the little girls, without saying, was a success. We all feet that it was good for us to be there.

#### KELTNER.

We are having plenty of rain and mud, making it very unpleasant traveling.

Most of the farmers are through gathering corn.

The majority of the tobacco is sold in this community.

E. B. Dohoney sold his farm at Nell, to Jim Kinnaird for \$225, Robt. Dohoney and brother made usiness trip to Red Lick last week.

O B. Finn, Allen, Chess and Irvine Keitner, made a business trip to Greensburg last week.

E. O. Keltner returned home a few days ago from Columbia where he has been under the treatment of Dr. Fos-ter, says he feels like a new man. ter, says ac reess like a new man.

Clavus Coffey caught a red for the
other night in his tray that had a nice
tittle leather collar with a piece of
chain to it. Any one having a pet
of this kind missing can get the hide
and collar by paying market price for
the hide.

W. R Dohoney was at Thurlow last Sunday.

Geo. R. Keltzer, of Oklah-visiting relatives here.

Mr. Robt. Matney was married to a Miss Young, of Green county. We ex-tend congratulations. Mr. Wesley Rock and Miss Myrtie Matney were married on the 25, Rev. Meil officiated. We wish them a long,

happy life.

The boys of this place killed se rabbits and birds Christmas day.

rabbits and birds Christmas day.
The young people are preparing for a Temperroce meeting next Wednesday night at the church.
Mr. John R. Keliner has been very successful in trapping. He hascaught enough foxes to buy himself a saits of clothes and two overoats. Who can best uncle John catching foxes?

Mr. G. A. Weliner has bount Taylor.

Mr. G. A. Keltner has bought Taylor Parson's farm. Born, to the wife of W.

O. B. Finn has moved to his farm two miles north of here.

KNIFLEY.

Born, to the wife of Cyrus Dunba r, a

Mr. J. B. Russell & Son bought 140 shoats paying 4t cents.

John Arnold sold two fat hogs to P. S. Dudgeon at 5c.

OPENING OF COURT.

Impressive Formality Customary in the District of Columbia.

A rather impressive little ceremony now marks the formal populing of the several branches of the supreme court of the District of Columbia. When a sustice enters his court room all of the supreme court of the District of Columbia. When a justice enters his court room all pursons who may be present rise, and, including his honor, remain standing until the crier has amounced in singtong manner to those persons having business before the honorable justice that "the court is now sitting." Of late, says the Washington Kira, in opening some of the courts, the mires have been adding to the stero-lyped amouncement the words: "God save the government of the United States and this honorable rount."

United States and this honorable rourt."

As the criers were unfamiliar with the extra sentence some ludicrous mistakes were made at the start. Only a short time ago one of the altaches got rather mixed, and instead of repeating the foregoing, asid: "Goch have mercy on this court." "Goch have mercy on this court." "Goch have mercy on the court." "He have mercy on the court." "Goch have mercy on this court." "Goch have mercy on this court." "He have mercy on this court." "Goch have mercy on this court." "He have mercy on the court." "Goch have mercy on the proper one. The practice of all standing in the rourt room as the justice enters has obtained locally just a few years. It is understood that the movement was inaugurated by Mr. Tracy J. Jeffords when he was assistant United States attorney for the District of Columbia under Mr. Arbura. A Birney. M. Jeffords made it a rule to rise from his chair in court when the justice agnichair in court when the justice appeared and soon the other attorneys began to follow suit. The custom is now general.

began to follow suit. The custom's now general.

The practice is similar to that prevailing in the supreme court of the United States, and is considered a dignified expression of courtey and respect. In the country for the most part, the country for the most part, the nounces that court is open. At Marison', it is stated, the judge opense court by rapping on his desk with a gavel and calling for order.

The justices of the United States supreme court and of some of the courts of New York wear black gowns while on the bench. The adoption of such a costume by the justices of the supreme court of the District of Columbia has been suggested, and it is said that several of the members station.

As to court cries, the item of any supreme court cries, the item of any suprements of the suprements of the members atton.

of the court are masson variation.

As to court criers, the item of appropriation to pay such officials was cut out of the bill by one house of congress serveral pears ago, a back-woods representative arguing that a court crier was a luxury not to be tolerated by his vote. The item was restored, however, in conference, and the criers survive.

TRIED TO PROVE ASSAULT.

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Colored Woman Overacted Her Part in Court Scene.

"Some people who appear in the police court resort to queer means in an attempt to convince the judges that they have been dangerously assaulted," an attempt remarked to a Washington Star reporter. "The judges, however, are up to all the ricks, and it is seldom, if ever, that they are fooled," the speaker added. "Two colored women got into a dispute the other day, and it resulted in one of them having the other arrested on a charge of assault, and when the case was called in the police court the one who caused the arrest of the other, after taking an oath to tell 'the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth,

oath to tell 'the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth,' declared that the defendant had struck her on the head.
"Did you have a physician in attendance? the court asked, noticing that the witness had her head bandaned were

"No, sir, she assay."
"Let me see the wound, the court asked at this poin."
"There isn't any wound, the woman replied.
"But why is your head wrapped.

"'I was struck so hard that I've had the headache ever since,' was the

"The case was disposed of at this point by the charge being dismissed by the judge, who decided that the facts did not warrant a conviction," the attorney said, in concluding.

urance for Maidens

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